

Candidates for Local Office  
Committees Primarily Formed to Support/Oppose Local Candidates  
Committees Primarily Formed to Support/Oppose Local Measures

**March 8, 2005 Election Filing Schedule**

| <i>Filing Deadline</i>      | <i>Type of Statement</i>  | <i>Period Covered by Statement<sup>1/</sup></i> | <i>Method of Delivery</i>                                      |
|-----------------------------|---|---|--|
| January 31, 2005            | Semi-Annual <sup>2/</sup>   | <sup>1/</sup> - 12/31/04                        | ✧ Personal Delivery<br>✧ First Class Mail                      |
| January 27, 2005            | Pre-Election  | 1/1/05 - 1/22/05                                | ✧ Personal Delivery<br>✧ First Class Mail                      |
| February 24, 2005           | Pre-Election  | 1/23/05 - 2/19/05                               | ✧ Personal Delivery<br>✧ Guaranteed Overnight Service          |
| Within<br>24 Hours          | Late Contributions <sup>3/</sup><br>and Independent<br>Expenditures of \$1,000<br>or More <sup>4/</sup> | 2/20/05 - 3/7/05                                | ✧ Personal Delivery<br>✧ Guaranteed Overnight Service<br>✧ Fax |
| July 31, 2005 <sup>5/</sup> | Semi-Annual   | 2/20/05 - 6/30/05                               | ✧ Personal Delivery<br>✧ First Class Mail                      |

**Footnotes:**

- <sup>1/</sup> The period covered by any statement begins on the day after the closing date of the last statement filed, or January 1, if no previous statement has been filed.
- <sup>2/</sup> Elected officers whose salaries are less than \$200 per month and judges are not required to file this semi-annual statement if no contributions were received or expenditures made during the period July 1 through December 31, 2004.
- <sup>3/</sup> The recipient of a late in-kind contribution must file a late contribution report within 48 hours from the time the in-kind contribution is received.
- <sup>4/</sup> A controlled committee of a candidate may not make independent expenditures to support or oppose other candidates.
- <sup>5/</sup> Because July 31 falls on Sunday, this filing deadline is extended to August 1, 2005.

**Additional Notes:**

- **Primarily Formed Ballot Measure Committees:** Prior to the semi-annual period in which the measure(s) supported or opposed is being voted on, committees must file quarterly campaign statements in addition to semi-annual statements. Following the election, quarterly statements may also be required. Contact the FPPC for specific information.

- **Candidates:** Contact the FPPC for revised reporting deadlines in the event of a runoff election. After an election, reporting requirements will depend on whether the candidate is successful and whether a campaign committee is maintained.
- Except for deadlines that fall on a Saturday, Sunday, or an official state holiday, there is no provision in the law for extending a filing deadline. Late statements are subject to a \$10 per day late fine.
- All statements are public documents.
- Local jurisdictions may impose contribution limits and additional filing requirements.
- State committees making contributions or independent expenditures in connection with local elections should contact the FPPC for reporting requirements.

As of the date of this publication (10/04), the FPPC Campaign Disclosure Manual for local candidates (Manual 2) and, for ballot measure committees the 2004 Addendum to Manuals C, D, and E, contain the most recent information on campaign disclosure requirements. Legislative amendments to the Political Reform Act may go into effect that will change information contained in the manual, the 2004 Addendum, and this filing schedule. Be sure to check the FPPC web site ([www.fppc.ca.gov](http://www.fppc.ca.gov)) for updated information.